

KIVETON PARK
RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

**ANNUAL
REPORT**

of the
Medical Officer of Health
for the year 1950

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Comments.

1950 was a healthy year in Kiveton Park, with a good supply of births, later ages for most of the deaths, and a fair record for infectious diseases. Among the infectious diseases, measles and whooping cough were much in evidence, but caused no deaths. Scarlet fever, of a mild type, was notified 61 times. Other infections occurred in small numbers and diphtheria was once again missing from the records.

15 out of 310 babies died. This is a small number, but it is double that justified by unavoidable causes. Better maternal care is required to bring local infant welfare standards up to the national average, and greater attention is required in the prevention of broncho-pneumonia, gastro-enteritis and other infections of infancy.

In Mr. Goddard's report upon sanitary circumstances, the most interesting figures are the high percentages of houses on the main water and sewerage systems. It is not usual to find a rural district with 98 per cent of the houses on the main water supply and 95 per cent connected to the water carriage systems. Only a progressive authority could show records such as these, and it must be remembered that still further improvements in these services are on the way.

Among the keenest regrets I have for 1950 is the lack of progress made in demolishing unfit houses. A very good excuse can be given for this by mentioning the shortage of houses, but the growing contrast between the old houses left over from last century and those built since 1918 is becoming more and more striking. Fixed rents and the high cost of repairs have added considerably to this distinction.

In the fifteen years I have spent in Kiveton Park, I have seen a steady improvement year by year in living conditions and in health. As a coal-mining district, Kiveton Park has had more than its share of irregular employment, so that the greatly increased wages and the full-time work of the present time, together with the extended social services, have brought substantial benefits to the majority of the people. More of the babies survive. The school children are cleaner, better clothed and better fed. The adults have been levelled out at a better average standard.

The biggest, present-day disappointment is the prolonged continuation of our restricted and monotonous diet, but everyone is so well aware of this that there is no need for me to labour the fact any further.

An improvement in the standards of health and cleanliness benefits everyone, as the epidemic of scabies illustrated during the War. To begin with this skin infection mainly afflicted the less clean members of the population, but after a time everyone who came in contact with untreated scabies cases tended to develop the disease. People who harboured the parasites and did nothing about it were a standing menace to everyone in the population. With the introduction of benzyl benzoate treatment these severe cases were quickly cured and everyone was freed from the liability of developing infection.

In the same way better feeding, clothing and housing reduces the proportion of ill people, increases their resistance to infection, and reduces the number who are scattering contractable diseases among the community.

Council Offices,
Kiveton Park, near Sheffield.

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GENERAL STATISTICS

Area in acres	20,070
Population (census 1931)	17,034
Population (estimated June 1950)	17,560
No. of inhabited houses	5,071
Rateable value	£75,334
Product of penny rate	£286/17/4d.

VITAL STATISTICS

Population.

The estimated population as at June, 1950, was 17,560. This shows an increase when compared with the census figure for 1931. Of the 17,560 shown, 4,190 were under 15 years of age.

Births.

The births accredited to the Kiveton Park area in 1950 numbered 310. This gives a birth-rate of 18.3 per thousand population (comparable rate). The corresponding rate for England and Wales was 15.8.

Illegitimate births totalled 17.

Live Births: —

	Males	Females	Total
Legitimate ...	130	163	293
Illegitimate ...	9	8	17
Total ...	139	171	310

Stillbirths: —

The total stillbirths recorded was 7, giving a comparable rate of .42 per thousand population. The rate for England and Wales was .37.

Deaths.

There were 150 deaths from all causes during the year, giving a death-rate of 9.2 per thousand of the population.

The principal causes of death were: —

Heart Disease	...	...	...	48
Malignant Neoplasm	...	...	...	16
Bronchitis	...	...	...	7
Pneumonia	...	...	...	8
Tuberculosis	...	...	...	3
Influenza	...	...	...	1
Violence	...	...	...	3

The deaths from violence were sub-divided as follows—

Age	Cause
Male, aged 31 years ...	Multiple injuries sustained in road accident.
Male, aged 78 years ...	Senility, possibly accelerated as a result of confinement in bed following injuries received when he accidentally fell down-stairs at his home.
Male, aged 39 years ...	Compound fracture of the skull, due to being crushed underground by a fall of stone.

Infant Deaths.

This section of the work still gives rise to concern. 15 deaths of infants were recorded during 1950. The infant death-rate was 48 per thousand births compared with the National rate of 29.8.

The parish and age distribution of these deaths is shown in the following tables.

PARISH	Broncho-Pneumonia	Gastro Enteritis	Prematurity	Atelectasis	Asphyxia	Cerebral Haemorrhage	Cardiac Failure	Marasmus	Hydrocephalus	TOTALS
Anston	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
Dinnington	3	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	1	7
Gildingwells	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Harthill	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	2
Todwick	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
Woodsetts	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1
TOTALS	6	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	15

CAUSE OF DEATH	Under 1 week	1 week to 1 month	1 month to 6 months	6 months to 1 year	TOTAL
Broncho Pneumonia	—	1	3	2	6
Gastro Enteritis	—	—	1	—	1
Prematurity	2	—	—	—	2
Atelectasis	1	—	—	—	1
Asphyxia	1	—	—	—	1
Cerebral Haemorrhage	1	—	—	—	1
Cardiac Failure	—	—	1	—	1
Marasmus	—	—	1	—	1
Hydrocephalus	—	—	—	1	1
TOTAL	5	1	6	3	15

Maternal Mortality.

There were no maternal mortality cases during the year under review.

Notifiable Diseases.

The following tables give the parish and age distribution of infectious diseases notified during 1950.

PARISH	Scarlet Fever	Pneumonia	Erysipelas	Polio- mye- litis	Puerperal Pyrexia	Food Poisoning	Measles	Whooping Cough	TOTAL
Anston	7	4	—	—	—	—	33	10	54
Dinnington	30	12	3	2	—	301	21	91	460
Firbeck	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Gildingwells	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Harthill with Woodall	4	1	—	—	—	—	69	11	85
Letwell	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1
St. Johns with Throapham	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Thorpe Salvin	1	—	—	—	—	—	4	3	8
Todwick	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	9	10
Wales	14	—	—	1	—	—	93	45	153
Woodsetts	4	—	1	—	—	—	1	2	8
TOTAL	61	18	4	3	1	301	221	171	780

Age distribution of Infectious Diseases Notified during 1950

	AGE IN YEARS								Total
	0—1	1—5	5—15	15—25	25—45	45—65	65 and over	Age Un-known	
Notifiable Disease	—	23	35	2	1	—	—	—	61
Scarlet Fever	—	23	35	2	1	—	—	—	61
Pneumonia	4	1	—	2	5	3	3	—	18
Erysipelas	—	—	—	—	2	1	1	—	4
Puerperal Pyrexia	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1
Poliomyelitis	1	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	3
Food Poisoning	—	—	300	—	1	—	—	—	301
Measles	6	99	113	—	—	—	—	3	221
Whooping Cough	19	91	60	—	—	—	1	—	171
TOTALS	30	214	508	5	11	4	5	3	780

Birth Rates, Civilian Death Rates, Analysis of Mortality, Maternal Mortality and case rates for certain Infectious Diseases in the year 1950.

	Kiveton Park Rural District	England and Wales	126 County Boroughs and Great Towns Inc. London	148 smaller towns. Resident population 25,000—50,000 at 1931 census	London Admin. County
BIRTHS	<i>Rates per 1,000 Home Population</i>				
Live Births	18.3	15.8	17.6	16.7	17.8
Still Births	0.42	0.37	0.45	0.38	0.36
DEATHS					
All Causes	9.2	11.6	12.3	11.6	11.8
Typhoid and paratyphoid ...	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Whooping Cough	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
Diphtheria	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Tuberculosis	0.10	0.36	0.42	0.33	0.39
Influenza	0.03	0.10	0.09	0.10	0.07
Smallpox	—	—	—	—	—
Acute poliomyelitis (including polioencephalitis	0.00	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.01
Pneumonia	0.49	0.46	0.49	0.45	0.48
NOTIFICATIONS (Corrected)					
Typhoid Fever	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01
Paratyphoid	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
Meningococcal infection ...	0.00	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.03
Scarlet Fever	3.5	1.50	1.56	1.61	1.23
Whooping Cough	9.7	3.60	3.97	3.15	3.21
Diphtheria	0.00	0.02	0.03	0.02	0.03
Erysipelas	0.22	0.17	0.19	0.16	0.17
Smallpox	—	0.00	0.00	—	—
Measles	12.5	8.39	8.76	8.36	6.57
Pneumonia	1.0	0.70	0.77	0.61	0.50
Acute poliomyelitis (including polioencephalitis					
Paralytic	0.18	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.08
Non-paralytic	0.00	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.05
Food poisoning	17.1	0.17	0.16	0.14	0.25
		<i>Rates per 1,000 Live Births</i>			
DEATHS					
All causes under 1 year of age	48.0	29.8(a)	33.8	29.4	26.3
NOTIFICATIONS (Corrected)					
	<i>Rates per 1,000 Total (Live and Still) Births</i>				
Puerperal fever and pyrexia ...	3.15	5.81	7.43	4.33	6.03

(a) Per 1,000 related live births

Diphtheria Immunisation.

Children under school age immunised for first time	...	...	...	142
School children immunised for the first time	...	...	...	27
Total number of children receiving refresher doses	...	...	...	300

Immunisation State of the Child Population.

Under 1 year of age	...	...	...	5
1 year old	...	...	...	63
2 year old	...	...	...	122
3 year old	...	...	...	127
4 year old	...	...	...	180
Between 5 and 9 years of age	...	...	...	608
Between 10 and 14 years of age	...	...	...	766

	Total Number in district	Number Immunised	Percentage Immunised
Children under 5	1,605	497	31%
Children aged 5—14 inclusive	2,585	1,374	53.1%
Children between 0—14 years	4,190	1,871	44.6%

Tuberculosis.

	PULMONARY		NON-PULMONARY		Total
	Males	Females	Males	Females	
Cases on register 1.1.50	37	16	13	6	72
Cases added to register 1950	9	13	1	3	26
Cases removed from register 1950	10	5	7	1	23
Cases died (incl. in removals)	5	2	—	—	7
Cases cured (included in removals)	3	2	1	—	6
Cases on register 31.12.50	36	24	7	8	75

Sanitary Inspector's Report.

The following statistics have been supplied by Mr. L. B. Goddard, Chief Sanitary Inspector.

Nuisance Inspections.

Total number of inspections for nuisances during year	...	...	...	743
Nuisances found in 1950	...	...	...	577
Nuisances in hand at beginning of 1950	...	...	...	14
Total requiring abatement	...	...	...	591
Abated during 1950	...	...	...	582
Outstanding at end of 1950	...	...	...	9
Informal notices served	...	...	...	515
Informal notices complied with	...	...	...	506
Statutory notices served	...	...	...	62
Statutory notices complied with	...	...	...	62

Tents, Vans and Sheds.

Number in district—permanent	...	...	...	...	7
Number in district—itinerant	...	...	...	...	—
Visits of inspection	...	...	...	...	34

Drainage and Sewerage.

During the year there have been sewer extensions to link up properties at Redhill, Kiveton Park.

Portions of the district still require sewerage — Todwick, Woodall and Firbeck. Improvement of defective sewers has been carried out at Thorpe Salvin.

Number of houses not connected to sewers	260
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Closet Accommodation.

Number of privies	164
Number of pail or tub closets	166
Number of waste-water closets	...	...	...	...	2
Number of water closets in houses	...	...	...	...	5,242
Water closets constructed during year	...	...	...	...	132
Total number of closets	...	...	...	...	5,562
Percentage of closets on water-carriage system	...	...	...	...	95%

Scavenging.

Public scavenging is in operation throughout the whole district. Total cost of collection and disposal of refuse £9,497.

Water Supply.

Source of Supply — Sheffield Corporation.

Total number of houses in the district	5,071
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Number of houses on mains supply	4,977
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Number of houses supplied by wells and springs	94
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16 samples of mains supply were sent for bacteriological examination—all were satisfactory.

6 samples of mains supply were sent for chemical examination — all were satisfactory.

Milk Supply.

Number of milk samples taken for analysis under the Food and Drugs Act, 1938	...	...	...	...	12
Number of milk retailers registered	...	...	...	...	13

Milk (Special Designations) Regulations, 1949.

Number of licences in force in area for: —

			Dealers	Supplementary
Tuberculin Tested Milk	...	...	12	1
Pasteurised	...	...	1	4
Sterilised	...	...	1	2

Milk (Special Designations) Raw Milk Regulations, 1949

Number of licences in force: —

			Dealers
T.B. tested	...	...	2
Accredited	...	...	1

Ice Cream.

Number of premises registered under Sec. 14 Food and Drugs Act, 1938	...	...	...	15
Inspections made of such premises	...	...	...	68
Samples taken for bacteriological examination	...	...	...	—

Meat and Food Inspection.

Number of private slaughterhouses licensed	...	...	...	1
Number of private slaughterhouses registered	...	...	...	9
Inspections made	...	...	...	308
Number of surrenders of unsound meat	...	...	...	Nil.
Number of visits to food preparing places	...	...	...	192
Unsound food seized	...	...	...	370 lbs.

Other Foods.

Samples taken (other than milk) under Food and Drugs Act, 1938	...	...	...	None
Number of bakehouses in the district	...	...	...	5
Underground bakehouses	...	...	...	Nil.
Inspections made	...	...	...	78

Shops Act, 1934 — Sections 10 and 13 (3).

Number of visits paid under the above Act	...	...	...	68
Unsatisfactory conditions found	...	...	...	2
Unsatisfactory conditions remedied	...	...	...	2

Factories Act, 1937 and 1948.

Factories where sections 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 are enforced by Local Authorities	25
Inspections made	...	...	...	78
Written notices	...	...	...	3

Other premises in which Section 7 is enforced: —

Number on register	...	...	...	12
Inspections made	...	...	...	28
Written notices	...	...	...	2

Defects found:

Want of cleanliness	...	...	...	3
Unsuitable or insanitary conveniences	...	...	...	2
All these defects were remedied.				

Mortuaries.

There is one mortuary at Dinnington.

Housing — 1950.

Number of dwellinghouses in the district	...	...	...	5,071
Number of back-to-back houses included in above	...	...	...	12

Inspection of dwellinghouses during the year.

Total number of dwellinghouses inspected for housing defects (under Public Health or Housing Acts)	...	...	...	868
Number of inspections made for the purpose	...	...	...	935
Number of dwellinghouses (included under sub-head above) which were inspected and recorded under the Housing Consolidated Regulations	...	...	...	656
Number of inspections made for the purpose	...	...	...	747
Number of dwellinghouses considered to be in a state so dangerous or injurious to health as to be unfit for human habitation	...	...	...	7
Number found not to be in all respects reasonably fit for human habitation	...	...	...	495

Remedy of defects during the year without service of formal notices.

Number of defective dwellinghouses rendered fit in consequence of informal action by the Local Authority or their officers	293
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Action under Statutory Powers during the year.

Number of dwellinghouses in respect of which notices were served requiring repairs	95
Number of dwellinghouses which were rendered fit after service of formal notices	...	...	...	6
By Local Authority	...	...	...	6
By Owners	...	...	...	89

Proceedings under Public Health Acts.					
Number of dwellinghouses in respect of which notices were served requiring defects to be remedied	...	...	...	...	107
Number of dwellinghouses in which defects were remedied after service of formal notices—By Owners	...	...	...	...	107
Housing Act, 1936 — Overcrowding.					
Number of dwellings overcrowded at the end of the year	...	...	...	...	6
Number of families dwelling therein	...	...	...	...	12
Number of persons dwelling therein	...	...	...	...	70
Number of new cases of overcrowding reported during year	...	...	...	...	6
Number of cases of overcrowding relieved during year	...	...	...	...	8
Number of persons concerned in such cases	...	...	...	...	56
New Houses.					
Number of new houses provided during the year: —					
By the Local Authority: —					
Permanent type	...	...	...	...	92
Temporary	...	...	...	...	Nil.
By Private Enterprise	...	...	...	...	20

DIVISIONAL ADMINISTRATION OF PREVENTIVE MEDICAL SERVICES
DIVISION 31.

Comprising—Rotherham Rural District Council,
Kiveton Park Rural District Council
and Maltby Urban District Council.

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Chief Clerk	...	Mr. A. HILL, M.S.S.CH.

The scope of work carried out under the Divisional Scheme has continued to expand; various re-organisations have been necessary, and further improvements are under constant consideration, some of these are being held in abeyance pending an easing off of the staffing position and also due to the need for strict economy in view of world conditions.

School Health Service.

Number of schools in area	...	...	...	...	...	56
Number of children on roll	...	...	...	...	...	12,485
Number of schools visited by School Medical Inspectors	...	...	...	...	...	33
Number of children examined: —						
Number of Infants	...	...	...	...	...	1,484
Number of Juniors	...	...	...	...	...	944
Number of Seniors	...	...	...	...	...	683

Dr. Gorrie has been assisted on school inspections by a number of other doctors in a part-time capacity. Without this assistance it would be impossible to maintain even a reasonable rate of inspections, as, in addition to normal routine school visits, the number of special cases for examination has increased considerably.

Special cases for examination are seen either in their own homes or at the Divisional Office. It is more expedient to see them at the office as this enables a greater number to be attended to. The cases are provided with travel vouchers to avoid financial difficulty and definite appointments are made. Where necessary, full liaison is maintained with the "Family Doctors."

Specialist Clinics.

For details of sessions, see appendix II

Number of children referred to Paediatric Clinics	...	...	53
Number of children referred to Ear, Nose and Throat Clinics	...	...	187
Number of children referred to Child Guidance Clinics	...	...	10
Number of children referred to Oculist Clinics	...	...	611
Number of children referred to Orthopaedic Clinics	...	...	86

The number of home visits made by nurses for the purpose of following up treatment, special enquiries concerning school children etc. was 1,400.

School Clinics.

For details of these clinics see Appendix I.

Dr. Gorrie attends the School Clinics at varying intervals to see cases brought forward by the School Nurse.

Maternity and Child Welfare.

Child Welfare Centres — For details see appendix I.

The following table gives the attendances at the Child Welfare Centres during 1950. It is noted that the total attendances of 23,596 compared with 25,122 last year shows a decrease.

INFANT WELFARE CENTRES

Name and address of Centre	Number of Infant Welfare Sessions now held per month	Number of children who attended during the year	Number of children who first attended during the year and who on the date of their first attendance were:—		Number of children in attendance at the end of the year, who were then:—		Total number of attendances made by children in Column 3 during the year	
			under 1 year of age	over 1 year of age	under 1 year of age	over 1 year of age	under 1 year of age	over 1 year of age
Cortonwood C.W.C.	4	255	53	4	78	177	1,241	748
Thurcroft C.W.C.	4	240	89	19	90	150	1,951	673
Swallownest C.W.C.	8	404	139	4	113	291	2,449	1,561
Kiveton Park C.W.C.	4	155	94	4	78	77	1,264	356
Dalton C.W.C.	4	509	169	14	150	359	1,890	470
Catcliffe C.W.C.	2	195	112	1	95	100	1,121	244
Dinnington C.W.C.	5	257	166	5	140	117	2,121	769
Bramley C.W.C.	4	310	126	18	136	174	1,343	324
Whiston C.W.C.	4	127	59	2	57	70	879	496
Maltby C.W.C.	4	481	206	7	177	304	2,386	1,310
TOTALS ...	43	2,933	1,213	78	1,114	1,819	16,645	6,951

I must again record my thanks to the Voluntary Committee for their valuable assistance during the past year, the duties carried out by them e.g. weighing the infants, recording attendances etc. materially contribute to the smooth running of the clinics.

Ante-natal and Post-natal Clinics.

For details see Appendix I.

Ante-Natal Clinics.

Name of Ante-Natal Clinic	Number of sessions now held per month	NUMBER OF WOMEN IN ATTENDANCE		Total Number of attendances made by women during year
		Number of women who attended during year	Number of women in previous column who had not previously attended an A/N Clinic during an current pregnancy	
Swallownest A.N.C.	4	146	107	625
Dalton	8	327	302	1,364
Cortonwood A.N.C.	2	52	52	237
Thurcroft A.N.C.	4	128	101	508
Catcliffe A.N.C.	2	91	67	358
Dinnington A.N.C.	4	138	102	683
Kiveton Park A.N.C.	2	96	72	334
Maltby A.N.C.	8	302	237	1,460
TOTALS	34	1,280	1,040	5,569

Ante-Natal Clinics.

Number of sessions now held per month	NUMBER OF WOMEN IN ATTENDANCE		Total Number of attendances made by women during the year
	Number of women who attended during the year	Number included in previous column who had not previously attended a P/N Clinic after last confinement	
34	167	143	184

The attendances, by women resident in this area, at ante-natal clinics under the auspices of the Hospital Board are not recorded here. The majority of women who have successfully applied for admission to Maternity Homes or Hospitals for confinement attend the clinic attached to the Home or Hospital. There is, however, no objection to them attending a district clinic, provided they speak to the Doctor or Matron in charge of their case.

Health Visiting.

The year 1950 saw the situation regarding the Health Visiting staff considerably improved. We are now approximately up to establishment. This has been achieved by the appointment of temporary part-time State Registered Nurses as Assistant Health Visitors. They will be replaced by fully qualified Health Visitors, as, and when possible.

The duties of Health Visitors have been considerably expanded during the past few years, but the staff concerned seem to be settling down into its new sphere of activity.

Number of visits paid by Health Visitors during the year: —

	First Visits	Total Visits
Expectant Mothers	447	614
Children under 1 year	1,638	6,828
Children between 1 and 5 years	116	7,697
Other cases	1,001	2,206
TOTALS	3,202	17,345

For list of Health Visitors see Appendix V.

Domiciliary Midwives.

Appendix III gives the full list of midwives employed in this Division. During the year the division suffered a severe loss in the death of Midwife Bonsall whose intimate knowledge of the Kiveton Park area, and residents, made her a most valuable asset to the midwifery staff. Her place has now been taken by Midwife M. Davies. Other newcomers were Midwives Tyers and Burgum, who replaced Midwives Kaye and Short. The latter is taking a Health Visitor's Course and it is hoped she will return in her new capacity.

Number of cases delivered as midwives	664
Number of cases delivered as maternity nurses	231
	895

Number of medical aid notices issued — 295 under the following headings: —

Pregnancy	61
Labour	171
Lying-in	17
Child	46

Gas and Air Analgesia.

The popularity of this facility is, as expected, still increasing. Last year 129 women availed themselves of the service, compared with 19 during 1949.

Home Nurses.

For the list of Home Nurses see Appendix IV.

This service continues to expand and the visit of the nurse is becoming a routine and much appreciated incident in the daily lives of many of the chronic sick.

Number of new cases attended	1,667
Total visits	47,568

CARE AND AFTER CARE.

Mental Health.

Miss C. M. Ball is still carrying out the increasing volume of work entailed by this service, including home visits for supervision, hospital reports, etc.

Tuberculosis.

Miss McDonald and Mrs. White were carrying out the visits in connection with T.B. patients until the end of the year, when Mrs. White was transferred to the Hospital Board staff for clinic duties. The opportunity was taken, when this change over occurred, to institute a new system of visiting by the Health Visitors on the districts, who now submit quarterly reports on every case registered.

The supply of free milk continued as before, as shown by the following statistics.

Prevention, Care and After-care — Tuberculosis.

EXTRA NOURISHMENT

No. of patients receiving extra nourishment on 1st January, 1950	26
No. of patients granted extra nourishment during the year	18
*No. of grants discontinued	13
No. of patients receiving extra nourishment on 31st December, 1950	31
No. of orders issued from 1st January to 31st December, 1950	185
*Inc. one case transferred to Division 22.	

Venereal Diseases.

This area is served by Rotherham, Sheffield and Doncaster clinics.

Welfare visits are made by a member of the County Medical Officer's staff.

Ambulance Service.

The main depot at Wath, with two sub-depots at Maltby and Kiveton Park, have served the area with distinction.

Home Helps.

The number of home helps employed at 31st December is 41 (part-time). The equivalent number of whole-time employed from 1st January to 31st December was 16.4. During the year, the authorised establishment was increased from 14 to 23 whole-time or the equivalent of this number.

The popularity of the service can be estimated from the following figures. It can now be assumed, with reasonable safety, that the scheme has become more or less stabilised, although the service, as it stands, falls short of fulfilling the need, in that the hours are restricted between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. The need now is for a supplementary scheme of "Sitters-In" to take over at 5 p.m. and to stay with the old and infirm patients, who have no other persons to care for them during the night. There is no doubt that this need is aggravated by the lack of hospital accommodation.

Cases provided with Domestic Helps during year.

				No. of cases	Hours employed
Illness (excluding aged)	Tuberculosis	...	...	4	643
	Other	...	...	126	17,077
Lying-in	...	...	...	128	9,121
Expectant Mothers	...	...	...	5	541
Mentally defective	...	...	...	—	—
Aged—Illness	...	...	...	85	9,835½
Infirmity	...	...	...	4	515
TOTAL				352	37,732½

N.B. Appendix I, II, III and IV are as at July, 1951, and not as at 31st December, 1950.

APPENDIX I.

Infant Welfare Clinics (Divisional Area)

Centre	Day and Time	Doctor attending	Nurse attending	Tel No.
Bramley Welfare Hall	Wednesdays 2—4.30 p.m.	W. Land Dibb	A. Lawler	—
Catcliffe Mission Hall	Alternate Wednesdays 2—4.30 p.m.	R. G. Selby	J. Utley	—
Cortonwood Methodist Chapel	Thursdays 2—4.30 p.m.	M. S. Scott	M. Shaw	—
Dalton Nursery Hut	Tuesdays 9.30—12 noon 2—4.30 p.m.	G. H. Sedgwick p.m. only	M. K. Moloney E. M. Hurley	Roth. 3927
Dinnington Methodist Chapel	Tuesdays 2—4.30 p.m. 1st Tuesday in month mothers from outlying districts.	M. T. Jago	E. M. Dyke	—
Kiveton Park Methodist Chapel	Mondays 2—4.30 p.m.	B. D. Rawlin	M. Livesey	—
Maltby Nursery Hut	Mondays 2—4.30 p.m.	M. Hallinan	C. M. Carroll W. Beresford	Maltby 128
Swallownest Church Hall	Thursdays 10 a.m.—4.30 p.m.	P. C. Menneer	J. Cheetham	—
Thurcroft Methodist Chapel	Mondays 2—4.30 p.m.	J. O'Hara	E. Short	—
Whiston Church Institute	Thursdays 2—4.30 p.m.	M. T. Jago	A. Lawler	—

Ante-natal Clinics.

Centre	Day and Time	Doctor attending	Nurse attending	Tel. No.
Bramley Welfare Hall	Alternate Tuesdays 2—4 p.m.	M. E. J. Bolsover	A. Lawler	—
Catcliffe 3 Rotherham Road	2nd and 4th Tuesdays 2—4 p.m.	D. Pinder	J. Utley	—
Cortonwood Methodist Chapel	1st and 3rd Wednesdays 2—4 p.m.	D. Chapman	M. Shaw	—
Dalton Nursery Hut	Mondays and Wednesdays 1-30—4-30 p.m.	K. Garside	M. K. Moloney E. M. Hurley	Roth. 3927
Dinnington Methodist Chapel	Fridays 2—4 p.m.	M. E. J. Bolsover	E. M. Dyke	—
Kiveton Park Methodist Chapel	2nd and 4th Thursdays in each month 2—4 p.m.	M. Rushbrooke	M. Livesey	—
Maltby Nursery Hut	Wednesdays 9.30—12-30 2—4 p.m.	M. J. Hallinan	C. M. Carroll W. Beresford	Maltby 128
Swallownest Church Hall	Wednesdays 9.30—12-30	M. Hargan	J. Cheetham	—
Thurcroft Methodist Chapel	First and Third Wednesdays 1-30—4 p.m.	J. O'Hara	E. Short	—

School Clinics.

Centre	Day and Time	Nurse in charge	Doctor attending
Bramley Welfare Hall	Wednesdays 9—12 noon	A. Lawler	Dr. Gorrie attends first Wednesday in month
Brampton Bierlow Methodist Chapel	Thursdays 10—12 noon	M. Shaw	Dr. Gorrie attends once a quarter at clinic
Brinsworth Infant School	Fridays 10—12 noon	J. Utley	None
Catcliffe 3 Rotherham Road	Tuesdays 9—12 noon	J. Utley	Dr. Gorrie attends second Friday morning each month
Dalton Nursery Hut	Tuesdays and Fridays 9—12 noon	M. K. Moloney E. M. Hurley	Dr. Gorrie attends first Friday in each month
Dinnington Methodist Chapel	Tuesdays and Fridays 9-30—12 noon	E. M. Dyke	Dr. Gorrie attends fourth Friday in each month
Maltby Nursery Hut	Tuesdays 9 a.m. Fridays 1-30 p.m.	W. Beresford C. M. Carroll	Dr. Gorrie attends third Monday each month 9-30 to 12-30
Swallownest Church Hall	Every Tuesday	J. Cheetham	Dr. Gorrie attends second Tuesday in month 2—4 p.m.
Thurcroft School Medical Room	Mondays and Thursdays 9—12 noon	E. Short	Dr. Gorrie attends second Thursday each month
Laughton J. M. & I. School	Wednesdays 9-30—12 noon	E. Short	None

APPENDIX II.**Specialist Clinics.****Ear, Nose and Throat Clinics.**

Held on the first Wednesday of each month by Mr. H. Petty at Doncaster Gate Hospital, Rotherham.

Orthopaedic Clinics.

Held on the second and last Wednesdays of each month by Dr. Herzog at the Rawmarsh Child Welfare Centre.

Paediatric Clinics.

Held on the third Wednesday of each month by Dr. C. C. Harvey at Maltby Clinic, Walter's Road, Maltby.

Eye Clinics.

Dr. F. Fischer, Oculist, attends this Division for one week out of every five. Clinics are held at various Child Welfare Clinics in the Divisions.

Child Guidance Clinics.

Children are referred through the County Medical Officer to Dr. M. MacTaggart, Psychologist, Pitt Street, Barnsley.

This system is to be changed in the very near future and a County Council Child Guidance Clinic will be started at Rawmarsh under Dr. M. MacTaggart, who has now been appointed County Psychologist.

APPENDIX III.

Midwives.

NAME AND ADDRESS	Telephone Number
SEARSON, L. 4 Lordens Hill, Dinnington	Dinnington 229
BLOCKLEY, G. Dartrey House, Doe Quarry Lane, Dinnington ...	Dinnington 206
DAVIES, M. I. 97 Wales Road, Kiveton Park	
BUTTERFIELD, N. 7 Green Lane, Wickersley	Wickersley 2177
DANIELS, F. E. (Relief) 15 Parkstone Crescent, Hellaby	Wickersley 2105
KING, C. 38 Vale Road, Thrybergh	Thrybergh 295
FURNESS, L. 2 Dalton View, Whinney Hill	Thrybergh 292
FRANCE, S. 1 New Council Houses, Katherine Road, Thurgroft	Wickersley 2171
SPENCER, I. 5 Arundel Street, Treeton	Woodhouse 40606
TYERS, H. (on maternity leave) 37B West Park Drive, Swallownest	Woodhouse 40282
BEAUMONT, V. 17 Wentworth Road, Brampton Bierlow	Wath-on-Deane 218
WILLIAMS, S. J. G. 4 High Street, Maltby	Maltby 115
MOZLEY, E. 4 Rosston Road, Maltby	Maltby 78
HARDING, N. A. 2 Morrison Avenue, Maltby	Maltby 181

APPENDIX IV.

Home Nurses.

Name and Address	Districts Covered	Telephone Number
Edgar, N. G. The Barrow, Wentworth	Wentworth and Brampton Bierlow	Hoyland 3253
Harrison, E. 85 Wood Lane, Treeton	Treeton, Catcliffe, Brinsworth and Orgreave	Woodhouse 40194
Roberts, A. 3 Rowena Drive, Thurcroft	Thurcroft (inc. Laughton, Laughton Common and Carr)	Wickersley 3297
Wilson, J. 25 Far Lane, Rotherham	Dalton (including East Herringthorpe)	Rotherham 3104
Woolley, L. 51 Green Lane, Wickersley	Bramley (estate only) Wickersley and Whiston	Wickersley 2247
Taylor, C. (Relief) 39 Brecks Lane, Rotherham	Relieving in Wickersley, Maltby, Wentworth, Kiveton Park, Brampton B. and Dinnington	Wickersley 2103
Noble, I. (Relief) 26 Brinsworth Avenue, Brinsworth	Relieving in Dalton, Treeton, Catcliffe, Brinsworth, Orgreave, Aston-cum-Aughton Thurcroft and Thrybergh	Rotherham 3446
Bamford, E. 162 Lordens Hill, Dinnington	Dinnington, Gildingwells, Throapham, Firbeck and Letwell	—
Brydone, H. 245 Rotherham Road, Maltby	Maltby, Hellaby and Bramley	Maltby 105
Frost, J. C. Nurse's Home, Wales Road, Wales	Harthill, Wales, N. & S. Anston, Thorpe, Salvin and Woodsetts	Kiveton 326
Hunt, J. 30 Norwood Avenue, Maltby	Maltby, Hellaby and Bramley	—
Hibbert, L. 15 West Crescent, Sunnyside	Thrybergh, Sunnyside and Ravenfield	—

APPENDIX V

Health Visitors.

NAME				ADDRESS
MISS DYKE	...	...	...	Lambcote Grange Farm, Braithwell.
MISS LIVESEY	...	...	...	Lambcote Grange Farm, Braithwell.
MISS DUNFORD	...	...	...	The Bungalow, Clifton Lane, Conisborough.
MISS BERESFORD	...	...	...	10 Rosston Road, Maltby.
MISS CHEETHAM	...	...	...	31 Storth Lane, Wales.
MRS. STOCKWELL	...	...	...	18 Brampton Road, Thurgroft.
MRS. UTLEY	...	...	...	40 Main Street, Aughton.
MISS MOLONEY	...	...	...	26 Magna Lane, Dalton.
MISS LAWLER	...	...	...	6 Brocco Street, Sheffield.
MRS. HURLEY	...	...	...	55 Park Lane, Thrybergh.
MISS CARROLL	...	...	...	157 Cross Hill, Ecclesfield, near Sheffield.
MRS. SHAW	...	...	...	7 Loudon Road, Scholes.
MISS SHORT	...	...	...	62 Lodge Lane, Aston.
MISS KEYNES, Superintendent Health Visitor				Divisional Offices, Moorgate, Rotherham.

